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**Present:** 

Chief Guido Smith, Chair, Farmington Fire

Lieutenant Jason Boydston, Davis County Sheriff

Chief Aaron Byington, Syracuse Fire Chief Paul Erickson, Kaysville Fire

Dr. Summer Grace Dr. Mark Oraskovich

Deputy Chief Dane Stone, South Davis Metro Fire

Chief Derek Tolman, South Weber Fire

Dr. Dennis Wyman Dr. Blake Yerman

Battalion Chief Dave Youngberg, North Davis Fire

**Visitors/Guests:** 

Scott Adams, Layton Fire

Jason Boydston, Davis County Sheriff

Jason Cook, Layton Fire Dena Eckardt, Davis Hospital Jillyn Graham, Davis Hospital

Cyle Hall, Layton Fire

Tammy Hinterman, IHC Layton Hospital Jeff Larsen, South Davis Metro Fire

Keith Simpson, Life Flight Dr. Peter Taillac, UBEMS

Chad Tucker, McKay Dee Hospital Austin Williams, Davis Hospital

**County Staff Present:** 

Amy O'Dell, DCHD Administrative Secretary

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Davis County EMS Council was held Thursday, August 2, 2018 at the Davis County Health Department, Board Room, 22 South State Street, Clearfield, Utah. The meeting was called to order at 10:05 a.m. by Chief Guido Smith.

### Welcome

Chief Guido Smith welcomed council members, staff and visitors to the meeting.

## **Minutes**

The minutes of the August 2, 2018 meeting were presented and reviewed.

Dr. Blake Yerman motioned to accept the minutes of the August 2, 2018 meeting. Chief Aaron Byington seconded. The vote was unanimous.

## Nomination/Election of Chair 2019-2020

Chief Smith opened the floor to discuss nominations for the 2019-2020 Davis County EMS Council Chair and Vice-Chair positions. He shared that Chief Aaron Byington expressed interest in serving as Chair. Chief Smith also shared that a dialog with Lieutenant Jason Boydston regarding the Vice-Chair service took place. No additional parties were nominated.

Chief Smith motioned to nominate Lieutenant Jason Boydston as Vice-Chair. The vote was unanimous. Chief Smith motioned to nominate Chief Aaron Byington for EMS Council Chair. The vote was unanimous.

## **Davis County EMS Protocols**

Dr. Peter Taillac, Medical Director with the Utah Bureau of Emergency Medical Services (UBEMS), addressed the council to discuss outstanding protocol inquiries. He expressed appreciation for the invitation to attend. Dr. Taillac shared that the correct terminology regarding the state documents would be "Guidelines"; allowing for each County or Agency to establish the Protocol directives to follow.

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Dr. Taillac shared that the state protocol guidelines were established based upon evidence based data. Approximately 80-90% of agencies within the state of Utah have adopted them; some agencies modified . He stated that the objective is to have general processes with allowance to adjust based upon agency needs. Dr. Taillac reported that in 2019, Version III of the EMS Protocol documents will be reviewed by a committee. He added that Davis County EMS Council suggestions will be taken into account, extending an invitation to attend as it is an open meeting.

A new document edit to the Davis County EMS Protocols includes:

2017 Utah EMS Cardiac Protocol Guidelines (*Note: DAVIS COUNTY EMS Revised 08/2018*)
 Page 102; ALLERGIC REACTION AEMT Epinephrine; the dosage highlighted is stricken on the revised UBEMS document. As such, the new page will be inserted.

The following documents edits to the Davis County EMS Protocols will remain in place.

- 2017 Utah EMS Cardiac Protocol Guidelines (Note: DAVIS COUNTY EMS Revised 08/2018)
   Page 102; BRADYCARDIA (Symptomatic) AEMT Atropine 0.02 mg/kg IV/IO state Document
- 2017 Utah EMS General Protocol Guidelines (Note: DAVIS COUNTY EMS Revised 08/2018)
   Page 127; PAIN AND ANXIETY MANAGEMENT AEMT Midazolam dosage approved is 0.2 mg
- 2017 Utah EMS General Protocol Guidelines (*Note: DAVIS COUNTY EMS Revised 08/2018*)
   Page 135; ALLERGIC REACTION / ANAPHYLAXIS PARAMEDIC Epinephrine highlighted is stricken on the Davis County docum
   Page 137; BETA BLOCKER TOXICITY AEMT Midazolam dosage approved is 0.2 mg
   Page 150; SEIZURES AEMT Midazolam dosage approved is 0.2 mg
   Page 160; VIOLENT PATIENT CHEMICAL SEDATION TASER BARB REMOVAL AEMT
   Midazolam dosage approved is 0.2 mg

The Davis County Government website was stated as the source to obtain the adopted protocols.

## **Bureau of Emergency Medical Services (BEMS) Update**

Tami Goodin provided an update from the Utah Bureau of Emergency Medical Services (UBEMS). The BEMS update was provided to the Council and those in attendance. Ms. Goodin advised the Council that the state no longer uses Utrain.

#### **Other Business**

AirMed reported that they are moving to Flight Vector, a new program for Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) reporting. A generic login to identify the location of helicopters will be shared. The implementation of ultrasounds, blood products, and field amputation are among care services.

### Adjournment

Chief Aaron Byington motioned to close the EMS Council meeting. Dr. Blake Yerman seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 a.m.

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**NEXT MEETING:** November 1, 2018

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Medical Directors

10:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m. Council, At-Large Attendees, and Guests

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